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EE 330
ENGINEERING ELECTROMAGNETICS

HW 9: Due Friday 23 March
 5.15, 6.5, 6.10, 6.18, 6.22, 6.26, 7.1, 7.3, 7.7, 7.9, 7.12

Problem 5.15 A circular loop of radius a carrying current I_1 is located in the x - y plane as shown in Fig. P5.15. In addition, an infinitely long wire carrying current I_2 in a direction parallel with the z -axis is located at $y = y_0$.

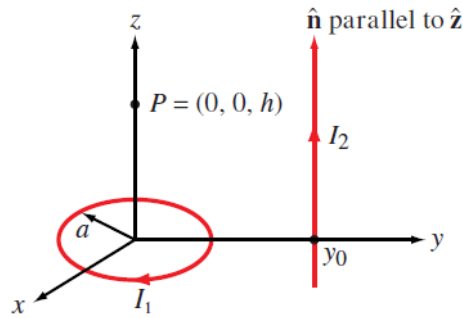


Figure P5.15: Problem 5.15.

- (a) Determine \mathbf{H} at $P = (0, 0, h)$.
- (b) Evaluate \mathbf{H} for $a = 3$ cm, $y_0 = 10$ cm, $h = 4$ cm, $I_1 = 10$ A, and $I_2 = 20$ A.

Solution:

(a) The magnetic field at $P = (0, 0, h)$ is composed of \mathbf{H}_1 due to the loop and \mathbf{H}_2 due to the wire:

$$\mathbf{H} = \mathbf{H}_1 + \mathbf{H}_2.$$

From (5.34), with $z = h$,

$$\mathbf{H}_1 = \hat{\mathbf{z}} \frac{I_1 a^2}{2(a^2 + h^2)^{3/2}} \quad (\text{A/m}).$$

From (5.30), the field due to the wire at a distance $r = y_0$ is

$$\mathbf{H}_2 = \hat{\phi} \frac{I_2}{2\pi y_0}$$

where $\hat{\phi}$ is defined with respect to the coordinate system of the wire. Point P is located at an angle $\phi = -90^\circ$ with respect to the wire coordinates. From Table 3-2,

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\phi} &= -\hat{\mathbf{x}} \sin \phi + \hat{\mathbf{y}} \cos \phi \\ &= \hat{\mathbf{x}} \quad (\text{at } \phi = -90^\circ). \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\mathbf{H} = \hat{\mathbf{z}} \frac{I_1 a^2}{2(a^2 + h^2)^{3/2}} + \hat{\mathbf{x}} \frac{I_2}{2\pi y_0} \quad (\text{A/m}).$$

(b)

$$\mathbf{H} = \hat{\mathbf{z}} 36 + \hat{\mathbf{x}} 31.83 \quad (\text{A/m}).$$

Problem 6.5 A circular-loop TV antenna with 0.02-m^2 area is in the presence of a uniform-amplitude 300-MHz signal. When oriented for maximum response, the loop develops an emf with a peak value of 30 (mV). What is the peak magnitude of \mathbf{B} of the incident wave?

Solution: TV loop antennas have one turn. At maximum orientation, Eq. (6.5) evaluates to $\Phi = \int \mathbf{B} \cdot d\mathbf{s} = \pm BA$ for a loop of area A and a uniform magnetic field with magnitude $B = |\mathbf{B}|$. Since we know the frequency of the field is $f = 300$ MHz, we can express B as $B = B_0 \cos(\omega t + \alpha_0)$ with $\omega = 2\pi \times 300 \times 10^6$ rad/s and α_0 an arbitrary reference phase. From Eq. (6.6),

$$V_{\text{emf}} = -N \frac{d\Phi}{dt} = -A \frac{d}{dt} [B_0 \cos(\omega t + \alpha_0)] = AB_0 \omega \sin(\omega t + \alpha_0).$$

V_{emf} is maximum when $\sin(\omega t + \alpha_0) = 1$. Hence,

$$30 \times 10^{-3} = AB_0 \omega = 0.02 \times B_0 \times 6\pi \times 10^8,$$

which yields $B_0 = 0.8$ (nA/m).

Problem 6.10 A 50-cm-long metal rod rotates about the z -axis at 90 revolutions per minute, with end 1 fixed at the origin as shown in Fig. P6.10. Determine the induced emf V_{12} if $\mathbf{B} = \hat{\mathbf{z}} 2 \times 10^{-4}$ T.

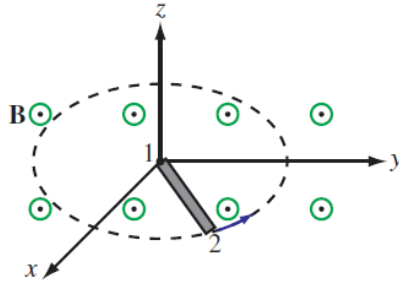


Figure P6.10: Rotating rod of Problem 6.10.

Solution: Since \mathbf{B} is constant, $V_{\text{emf}} = V_{\text{emf}}^m$. The velocity \mathbf{u} for any point on the bar is given by $\mathbf{u} = \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} r \omega$, where

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi \text{ rad/cycle} \times (90 \text{ cycles/min})}{(60 \text{ s/min})} = 3\pi \text{ rad/s}.$$

From Eq. (6.24),

$$\begin{aligned} V_{12} = V_{\text{emf}}^m &= \int_2^1 (\mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{B}) \cdot d\mathbf{l} = \int_{r=0.5}^0 (\hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} 3\pi r \times \hat{\mathbf{z}} 2 \times 10^{-4}) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}} dr \\ &= 6\pi \times 10^{-4} \int_{r=0.5}^0 r dr \\ &= 3\pi \times 10^{-4} r^2 \Big|_{0.5}^0 \\ &= -3\pi \times 10^{-4} \times 0.25 = -236 \text{ } (\mu\text{V}). \end{aligned}$$

Problem 6.18 An electromagnetic wave propagating in seawater has an electric field with a time variation given by $\mathbf{E} = \hat{\mathbf{z}}E_0 \cos \omega t$. If the permittivity of water is $81\epsilon_0$ and its conductivity is 4 (S/m) , find the ratio of the magnitudes of the conduction current density to displacement current density at each of the following frequencies:

- (a) 1 kHz
- (b) 1 MHz
- (c) 1 GHz
- (d) 100 GHz

Solution: From Eq. (6.44), the displacement current density is given by

$$\mathbf{J}_d = \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \mathbf{D} = \epsilon \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \mathbf{E}$$

and, from Eq. (4.67), the conduction current is $\mathbf{J} = \sigma \mathbf{E}$. Converting to phasors and taking the ratio of the magnitudes,

$$\left| \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}}{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}_d} \right| = \left| \frac{\sigma \tilde{\mathbf{E}}}{j\omega \epsilon_r \epsilon_0 \tilde{\mathbf{E}}} \right| = \frac{\sigma}{\omega \epsilon_r \epsilon_0}.$$

- (a) At $f = 1 \text{ kHz}$, $\omega = 2\pi \times 10^3 \text{ rad/s}$, and

$$\left| \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}}{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}_d} \right| = \frac{4}{2\pi \times 10^3 \times 81 \times 8.854 \times 10^{-12}} = 888 \times 10^3.$$

The displacement current is negligible.

- (b) At $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$, $\omega = 2\pi \times 10^6 \text{ rad/s}$, and

$$\left| \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}}{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}_d} \right| = \frac{4}{2\pi \times 10^6 \times 81 \times 8.854 \times 10^{-12}} = 888.$$

The displacement current is practically negligible.

- (c) At $f = 1 \text{ GHz}$, $\omega = 2\pi \times 10^9 \text{ rad/s}$, and

$$\left| \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}}{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}_d} \right| = \frac{4}{2\pi \times 10^9 \times 81 \times 8.854 \times 10^{-12}} = 0.888.$$

Neither the displacement current nor the conduction current are negligible.

- (d) At $f = 100 \text{ GHz}$, $\omega = 2\pi \times 10^{11} \text{ rad/s}$, and

$$\left| \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}}{\tilde{\mathbf{J}}_d} \right| = \frac{4}{2\pi \times 10^{11} \times 81 \times 8.854 \times 10^{-12}} = 8.88 \times 10^{-3}.$$

The conduction current is practically negligible.

Problem 6.22 If we were to characterize how good a material is as an insulator by its resistance to dissipating charge, which of the following two materials is the better insulator?

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Dry Soil:} & \epsilon_r = 2.5, \quad \sigma = 10^{-4} \text{ (S/m)} \\ \text{Fresh Water:} & \epsilon_r = 80, \quad \sigma = 10^{-3} \text{ (S/m)} \end{array}$$

Solution: Relaxation time constant $\tau_r = \frac{\epsilon}{\sigma}$.

$$\text{For dry soil,} \quad \tau_r = \frac{2.5}{10^{-4}} = 2.5 \times 10^4 \text{ s.}$$

$$\text{For fresh water,} \quad \tau_r = \frac{80}{10^{-3}} = 8 \times 10^4 \text{ s.}$$

Since it takes longer for charge to dissipate in fresh water, it is a better insulator than dry soil.

Problem 6.26 The electric field radiated by a short dipole antenna is given in spherical coordinates by

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}(R, \theta; t) = \\ \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \frac{2 \times 10^{-2}}{R} \sin \theta \cos(6\pi \times 10^8 t - 2\pi R) \quad (\text{V/m}). \end{aligned}$$

Find $\mathbf{H}(R, \theta; t)$.

Solution: Converting to phasor form, the electric field is given by

$$\tilde{\mathbf{E}}(R, \theta) = \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}} E_\theta = \hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}} \frac{2 \times 10^{-2}}{R} \sin \theta e^{-j2\pi R} \quad (\text{V/m}),$$

which can be used with Eq. (6.87) to find the magnetic field:

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\mathbf{H}}(R, \theta) &= \frac{1}{-j\omega\mu} \nabla \times \tilde{\mathbf{E}} = \frac{1}{-j\omega\mu} \left[\hat{\mathbf{R}} \frac{1}{R \sin \theta} \frac{\partial E_\theta}{\partial \phi} + \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} \frac{1}{R} \frac{\partial}{\partial R} (R E_\theta) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{-j\omega\mu} \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} \frac{2 \times 10^{-2}}{R} \sin \theta \frac{\partial}{\partial R} (e^{-j2\pi R}) \\ &= \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} \frac{2\pi}{6\pi \times 10^8 \times 4\pi \times 10^{-7}} \frac{2 \times 10^{-2}}{R} \sin \theta e^{-j2\pi R} \\ &= \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} \frac{53}{R} \sin \theta e^{-j2\pi R} \quad (\mu\text{A/m}). \end{aligned}$$

Converting back to instantaneous value, this is

$$\mathbf{H}(R, \theta; t) = \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} \frac{53}{R} \sin \theta \cos(6\pi \times 10^8 t - 2\pi R) \quad (\mu\text{A/m}).$$

Problem 7.1 The magnetic field of a wave propagating through a certain nonmagnetic material is given by

$$\mathbf{H} = \hat{\mathbf{z}} 30 \cos(10^8 t - 0.5y) \quad (\text{mA/m})$$

Find the following:

- (a) The direction of wave propagation.
- (b) The phase velocity.
- (c) The wavelength in the material.
- (d) The relative permittivity of the material.
- (e) The electric field phasor.

Solution:

- (a) Positive y -direction.
- (b) $\omega = 10^8 \text{ rad/s}$, $k = 0.5 \text{ rad/m}$.

$$u_p = \frac{\omega}{k} = \frac{10^8}{0.5} = 2 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}.$$

- (c) $\lambda = 2\pi/k = 2\pi/0.5 = 12.6 \text{ m}$.
- (d) $\epsilon_r = \left(\frac{c}{u_p}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{3 \times 10^8}{2 \times 10^8}\right)^2 = 2.25$.
- (e) From Eq. (7.39b),

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\mathbf{E}} &= -\eta \hat{\mathbf{k}} \times \tilde{\mathbf{H}}, \\ \eta &= \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} = \frac{120\pi}{\sqrt{\epsilon_r}} = \frac{120\pi}{1.5} = 251.33 \quad (\Omega), \\ \hat{\mathbf{k}} &= \hat{\mathbf{y}}, \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{H}} = \hat{\mathbf{z}} 30 e^{-j0.5y} \times 10^{-3} \quad (\text{A/m}). \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$\tilde{\mathbf{E}} = -251.33 \hat{\mathbf{y}} \times \hat{\mathbf{z}} 30 e^{-j0.5y} \times 10^{-3} = -\hat{\mathbf{x}} 7.54 e^{-j0.5y} \quad (\text{V/m}),$$

and

$$\mathbf{E}(y, t) = \Re\{\tilde{\mathbf{E}} e^{j\omega t}\} = -\hat{\mathbf{x}} 7.54 \cos(10^8 t - 0.5y) \quad (\text{V/m}).$$

Problem 7.3 The electric field phasor of a uniform plane wave is given by $\tilde{\mathbf{E}} = \hat{\mathbf{y}} 10e^{j0.2z}$ (V/m). If the phase velocity of the wave is 1.5×10^8 m/s and the relative permeability of the medium is $\mu_r = 2.4$, find the following:

- (a) The wavelength.
- (b) The frequency f of the wave.
- (c) The relative permittivity of the medium.
- (d) The magnetic field $\mathbf{H}(z, t)$.

Solution:

(a) From $\tilde{\mathbf{E}} = \hat{\mathbf{y}} 10e^{j0.2z}$ (V/m), we deduce that $k = 0.2$ rad/m. Hence,

$$\lambda = \frac{2\pi}{k} = \frac{2\pi}{0.2} = 10\pi = 31.42 \text{ m.}$$

(b)

$$f = \frac{u_p}{\lambda} = \frac{1.5 \times 10^8}{31.42} = 4.77 \times 10^6 \text{ Hz} = 4.77 \text{ MHz.}$$

(c) From

$$u_p = \frac{c}{\sqrt{\mu_r \epsilon_r}}, \quad \epsilon_r = \frac{1}{\mu_r} \left(\frac{c}{u_p} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{2.4} \left(\frac{3}{1.5} \right)^2 = 1.67.$$

(d)

$$\eta = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\epsilon}} \simeq 120\pi \sqrt{\frac{\mu_r}{\epsilon_r}} = 120\pi \sqrt{\frac{2.4}{1.67}} = 451.94 \quad (\Omega),$$

$$\tilde{\mathbf{H}} = \frac{1}{\eta} (-\hat{\mathbf{z}}) \times \tilde{\mathbf{E}} = \frac{1}{\eta} (-\hat{\mathbf{z}}) \times \hat{\mathbf{y}} 10e^{j0.2z} = \hat{\mathbf{x}} 22.13e^{j0.2z} \quad (\text{mA/m}),$$

$$\mathbf{H}(z, t) = \hat{\mathbf{x}} 22.13 \cos(\omega t + 0.2z) \quad (\text{mA/m}),$$

with $\omega = 2\pi f = 9.54\pi \times 10^6$ rad/s.

Problem 7.7 A 60-MHz plane wave traveling in the $-x$ -direction in dry soil with relative permittivity $\epsilon_r = 4$ has an electric field polarized along the z -direction. Assuming dry soil to be approximately lossless, and given that the magnetic field has a peak value of 10 (mA/m) and that its value was measured to be 7 (mA/m) at $t = 0$ and $x = -0.75$ m, develop complete expressions for the wave's electric and magnetic fields.

Solution: For $f = 60 \text{ MHz} = 6 \times 10^7 \text{ Hz}$, $\epsilon_r = 4$, $\mu_r = 1$,

$$k = \frac{\omega}{c} \sqrt{\epsilon_r} = \frac{2\pi \times 6 \times 10^7}{3 \times 10^8} \sqrt{4} = 0.8\pi \quad (\text{rad/m}).$$

Given that \mathbf{E} points along \hat{z} and wave travel is along $-\hat{x}$, we can write

$$\mathbf{E}(x, t) = \hat{z} E_0 \cos(2\pi \times 60 \times 10^6 t + 0.8\pi x + \phi_0) \quad (\text{V/m})$$

where E_0 and ϕ_0 are unknown constants at this time. The intrinsic impedance of the medium is

$$\eta = \frac{\eta_0}{\sqrt{\epsilon_r}} = \frac{120\pi}{2} = 60\pi \quad (\Omega).$$

With \mathbf{E} along \hat{z} and $\hat{\mathbf{k}}$ along $-\hat{x}$, (7.39) gives

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{1}{\eta} \hat{\mathbf{k}} \times \mathbf{E}$$

or

$$\mathbf{H}(x, t) = \hat{\mathbf{y}} \frac{E_0}{\eta} \cos(1.2\pi \times 10^8 t + 0.8\pi x + \phi_0) \quad (\text{A/m}).$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{E_0}{\eta} &= 10 \quad (\text{mA/m}) \\ E_0 &= 10 \times 60\pi \times 10^{-3} = 0.6\pi \quad (\text{V/m}). \end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$H(-0.75 \text{ m}, 0) = 7 \times 10^{-3} = 10 \cos(-0.8\pi \times 0.75 + \phi_0) \times 10^{-3}$$

which leads to $\phi_0 = 153.6^\circ$.

Hence,

$$\mathbf{E}(x, t) = \hat{z} 0.6\pi \cos(1.2\pi \times 10^8 t + 0.8\pi x + 153.6^\circ) \quad (\text{V/m}).$$

$$\mathbf{H}(x, t) = \hat{\mathbf{y}} 10 \cos(1.2\pi \times 10^8 t + 0.8\pi x + 153.6^\circ) \quad (\text{mA/m}).$$

Problem 7.9 For a wave characterized by the electric field

$$\mathbf{E}(z, t) = \hat{\mathbf{x}} a_x \cos(\omega t - kz) + \hat{\mathbf{y}} a_y \cos(\omega t - kz + \delta)$$

identify the polarization state, determine the polarization angles (γ, χ) , and sketch the locus of $\mathbf{E}(0, t)$ for each of the following cases:

- (a) $a_x = 3$ V/m, $a_y = 4$ V/m, and $\delta = 0$
- (b) $a_x = 3$ V/m, $a_y = 4$ V/m, and $\delta = 180^\circ$
- (c) $a_x = 3$ V/m, $a_y = 3$ V/m, and $\delta = 45^\circ$
- (d) $a_x = 3$ V/m, $a_y = 4$ V/m, and $\delta = -135^\circ$

Solution:

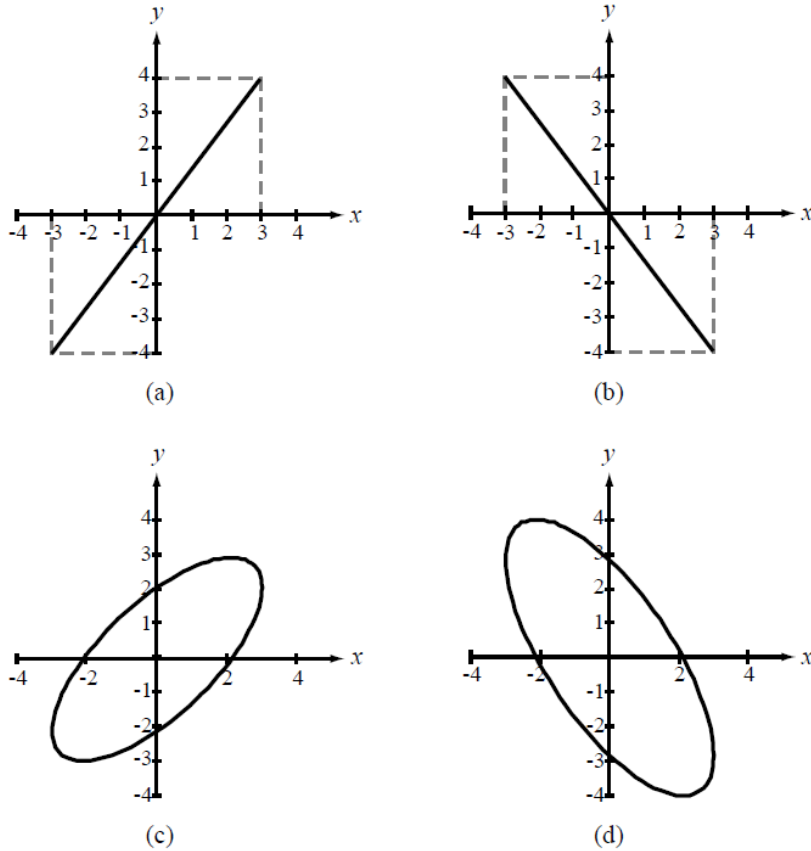


Figure P7.9: Plots of the locus of $\mathbf{E}(0, t)$.

$$\begin{aligned}\psi_0 &= \tan^{-1}(a_y/a_x), \quad [\text{Eq. (7.60)}], \\ \tan 2\gamma &= (\tan 2\psi_0) \cos \delta \quad [\text{Eq. (7.59a)}], \\ \sin 2\chi &= (\sin 2\psi_0) \sin \delta \quad [\text{Eq. (7.59b)}].\end{aligned}$$

Case	a_x	a_y	δ	ψ_0	γ	χ	Polarization State
(a)	3	4	0	53.13°	53.13°	0	Linear
(b)	3	4	180°	53.13°	-53.13°	0	Linear
(c)	3	3	45°	45°	45°	22.5°	Left elliptical
(d)	3	4	-135°	53.13°	-56.2°	-21.37°	Right elliptical

- (a) $\mathbf{E}(z, t) = \hat{\mathbf{x}} 3 \cos(\omega t - kz) + \hat{\mathbf{y}} 4 \cos(\omega t - kz)$.
- (b) $\mathbf{E}(z, t) = \hat{\mathbf{x}} 3 \cos(\omega t - kz) - \hat{\mathbf{y}} 4 \cos(\omega t - kz)$.
- (c) $\mathbf{E}(z, t) = \hat{\mathbf{x}} 3 \cos(\omega t - kz) + \hat{\mathbf{y}} 3 \cos(\omega t - kz + 45^\circ)$.
- (d) $\mathbf{E}(z, t) = \hat{\mathbf{x}} 3 \cos(\omega t - kz) + \hat{\mathbf{y}} 4 \cos(\omega t - kz - 135^\circ)$.

Problem 7.12 The electric field of an elliptically polarized plane wave is given by

$$\mathbf{E}(z, t) = [-\hat{\mathbf{x}} 10 \sin(\omega t - kz - 60^\circ) + \hat{\mathbf{y}} 30 \cos(\omega t - kz)] \quad (\text{V/m})$$

Determine the following:

- (a) The polarization angles (γ, χ) .
- (b) The direction of rotation.

Solution:

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{E}(z, t) &= [-\hat{\mathbf{x}} 10 \sin(\omega t - kz - 60^\circ) + \hat{\mathbf{y}} 30 \cos(\omega t - kz)] \\ &= [\hat{\mathbf{x}} 10 \cos(\omega t - kz + 30^\circ) + \hat{\mathbf{y}} 30 \cos(\omega t - kz)] \quad (\text{V/m}).\end{aligned}$$

Phasor form:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{E}} = (\hat{\mathbf{x}} 10 e^{j30^\circ} + \hat{\mathbf{y}} 30) e^{-jkz}.$$

Since δ is defined as the phase of E_y relative to that of E_x ,

$$\delta = -30^\circ,$$

$$\psi_0 = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{30}{10} \right) = 71.56^\circ,$$

$$\tan 2\gamma = (\tan 2\psi_0) \cos \delta = -0.65 \quad \text{or} \quad \gamma = 73.5^\circ,$$

$$\sin 2\chi = (\sin 2\psi_0) \sin \delta = -0.40 \quad \text{or} \quad \chi = -8.73^\circ.$$

- (b) Since $\chi < 0$, the wave is right-hand elliptically polarized.
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